

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Wilson BURGESS, William N. DROHAN, Martin J. MACPHEE, and David M. MANN

Serial No.:

09/960,700

Group Art Unit: 1744

Confirm. No.: 4269

Examiner: To be assigned

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September 24, 2001

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REPLY TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED

Box Missing Parts

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In reply to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated October 24, 2001, submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

- 1. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- 2. Copy of Form PTO-1533 (Notice of Missing Parts).
- 3. Filing Fee of \$370.00
- 4. Additional claim fee of \$1659.00
- 5. Multiple dependent claims surcharge \$140.00
- 6. Surcharge of \$65.00
- 7. Preliminary Amendment
- 8. Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet, and fee.

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A check in the amount of \$2234.00 for 3-6 indicated above (Check # 1780) is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$40.00 (Check # 1781), representing the recordation fee for the Assignment is enclosed.

It is requested that an Official Filing Receipt showing the data contained herewith now be issued.

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 16-0607 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

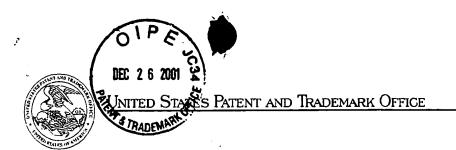
Respectfully submitted, FLESHNER & KIM, LLP

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

04 FG:202An application number and full by date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, 05 FG:202 however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$683.
 - \$603 for 67 total claims over 20.
 - \$80 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1103.

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